Plats not approved etc.

"Manatt's first (1st) addition," "William Manatt's third (3d) ad"dition," William Manatt's block eleven (11)," "Sears addition,"
"M. Snyder & Co.['s] addition," and that portion portion known
and recorded as "Brooklyn," were not legally recorded, in this,
that the said plats were not approved, and an order that they be
recorded indorsed thereon by the county court of said Poweshiek
county, as required by law; and

Whereas, The titles of said portions of the said town of Brooklyn, now resting in parties who are in nowise responsible for the irregularities named, being rendered defective by the

informal manner of recording said plats; therefore,

Plats and records thereof legalized. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That the plats of the following portions of the town of Brooklyn, Poweshiek county, Iowa, viz.: the plats of "William Manatt's first (1st) addition," "William Manatt's third "(3d) addition," "William Manatt's block eleven (11)," "M. "Snyder & Co.'s addition," "Sears addition," and of the original town known as "Brooklyn," now on record in the office of the recorder of said county of Poweshiek, be and the same, together with the records thereof, are hereby legalized and declared to be legal plats and records, and legal and binding upon all parties concerned, the same as if said plats and records had been made in every particular as required by law.

Conveyances legalized.

every particular as required by law.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That all conveyances heretofore made of lots in the portions of the said town of Brooklyn mentioned in the first section of this act and described by their respective numbers as lots, and blocks, as shown on said plats, are hereby legalized and declared legal and binding upon the parties thereto as if legal plats had been on record in said county at the time such conveyances were made.

Publication clause.

Sec. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in The Iowa State Register, published at Des Moines, and the Brooklyn Journal, published at Brooklyn, Iowa, without expense to the State. Approved March 18th, 1874.

I hereby certify that the forezoing act was published in the *Brooklyn Journal*, at Brooklyn, March 25, 1874.*

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, Secretary of State.

*See Appendix.

CHAPTER LVIII.

INSTITUTION FOR THE SUPPORT AND EDUCATION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.

S. F. 259. AN ACT Making Appropriation for the Institution for the Education o the Deaf and Dumb.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That there is hereby appropriated out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand

dollars for the following purposes, viz.—To provide hose to protonated the building against fire, the sum of five hundred dollars. To some pay for steam pump and furnish pipe, three thousand dollars. To for pumpand build a cottage for teachers, three thousand dollars. To build pipe, \$3,000. For cottage, shops and provide tools and stock for same, eight thousand five \$3,000. For shops, bundred dollars

SEC. 2. The money appropriated by the provisions of this act stock, \$\,500\, shall be drawn by an order of the board of trustees on the auditor, of state, in such sums as are readed. tor of state, in such sums as are needed, as the work progresses, Maximum in and shall be expended under their direction; but not more than 1874, voucheight thousand five hundred dollars shall be drawn during the ers. year 1874. The trustees shall take veuchers in duplicate for all money paid out by them under the provisions of this act, one of which shall be filed with the auditor of state.

Sec. 3. This act shall be in force twenty days after its publi-Publication cation in The Iowa State Register and Iowa State Leader.

Approved March 18th, 1874.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in *The Iowa Daily* State Leader April 2, and in The Daily Iowa State Register April 7, 1874.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER LIX.

RELIEF OF ARTHUR W. RICHARDS.

AN ACT for the Relief of Arthur W. Richards.

S.F. 90.

Whereas, Certain lands sold to Arthur W. Richards, a disa-Preamble: bled soldier of the war of the rebellion, were in the year 1865 school-fands sold for an unpaid balance of the purchase-money on judgment paid judg-therefor, to-wit: the sum of two hundred and fifty-seven and ment resold at an advance 25-100 dollars; and 25-100 dollars; and

WHEREAS, Said Arthur W. Richards, owing to poverty and disability contracted in the United States service, was unable to pay said judgment at the time; and

WHEREAS, The state school-fund received upon sale in said judgment the sum of ninety-two and 75-100 dollars over and

above said judgment, and

WHEREAS, On the 24th day of March, 1870, one-half of said lands, which were bid in by the state for the benefit of the schoolfund, was sold, and the school-fund received at said date the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350) therefor; and on the day of May, 1870, the other one-half of said lands were [was] sold and the school-fund of the state received therefor the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, making a total received by the school-fund of the state of seven hundred and ninety-two and 75-100 dollars over and above the amount due such school-fund from said Arthur W. Richards; therefore,

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the